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HARRY M. CAUDILL EXPLAINS G. I. BILL OF RIGHTS



In last week's issue of the Mountain Eagle there appeared a statement by my opponent which contained a number of questionable or false declarations. One such questionable declaration was to the effect that while I can resume my education at government expense the sum made available to himself for that purpose would not be sufficient to allow him to return to college and at the same time support his wife and child. As proclaimed by a number of signs posted throughout the county, the rallying-cry of his campaign has become, "Give a wounded soldier with a family a chance." In order that the public may clearly understand the provisions of the G. I. bill and know that any veteran of World War II DOES have a chance to support his family, I wish to make the following explanations:

The popularly-called "G. I. Bill of Rights" makes educational provisions for two classes of veterans. The first class includes only able-bodied veterans of World War II and is clearly not applicable to either my opponent or myself, since each of us was disabled in the military service of the United States. The second class includes all veterans of World War II who are disabled ten per cent or more. I am definitely in this class and presume my opponent to be also. Let us examine the benefits offered veterans of this war and see whether or not it is financially possible for him to resume his education.

The Federal Government will pay all the school fees of either of us up to five-hundred dollars (\$500.00) per year and buy all of our text books. Thus anything either of us would owe the school of our choice would be accounted for. In addition, each of us would receive a cash payment designed to meet our living expenses each month. The sum I, as a single man, would receive would be adequate to meet my needs. MY OPPONENT WOULD RECEIVE ONE HUNDRED AND TWO DOLLARS (\$102.00) MONTHLY and I leave to the judgment of the voters the question of whether or not that sum would

Town of Neon Is Now Free of All Indebtedness

Mayor Bill Tucker and Mrs. Tucker of Neon were business visitors in Whitesburg and while here paid a friendly visit to the Eagle office.

Mayor Tucker in discussing the Town of Neon, stated that Neon is now completely free from debt. Also new bridges are being built under the railroads to take care of the surplus flood; also Main Street of Neon is being repaired, additional street lights are being hung in various places about the city as well as other improvements.

Mr. Tucker also stated that he would again be a candidate to succeed himself as Mayor in the coming November election.

J. C. Codell and Engineers Here This Week.

This week Mr. J. C. Codell and his staff of Engineers and Superintendents were here in the county figuring on the proposed railroad that will connect Virginia and Jenkins that has lately been planned by the C. & O. R. R. Co. The proposed road according to Mr. Codell when completed will cost approximately \$6,000,000, and will have one of the longest tunnels in Kentucky.

Mr. Codell says the part of the road planned by the C. & O. was also figured on and it will cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000 when completed.

The Codell Construction Company, which Mr. Codell heads has built many roads in Letcher County and Southeastern Kentucky, also many other roads throughout the entire state. This company is now employed on the new L. & N. Road at Cloesplint, Ky. in Harlan County.

Victor Vinson Is Author of Song

Hazard, Ky., Oct. 1. — Victor V. Vinson, former resident of Hazard, is the author of a song, "My Psalm," which has just been published by Modern Melody, of Hollywood, California. It is an adaptation of the Twenty-Third Psalm and was set to music by Noel Marchant. Mr. Vinson's production has already been used by a number of church choirs and soloists in western states and promises to be a "top" ranking hymn.

Mr. Vinson is a former newspaper man, was for years the owner and publisher of the Estill Herald, and later worked on newspapers in Indianapolis and Texas. He is the father of Don Vinson ad Mrs. Charles J. Johnson, of Hazard. Mr. Vinson has other compositions in the hands of publishers.

Miss Lucile Adams returned on Friday after a week's visit with Miss Marion O'Neal in Lexington.

I promise to be always ready to accommodate and help any citizen who may come to the County Court Clerk's office. I promise to always welcome you to the office which you will have elected me to administer. I promise the people of Letcher County that if they elect me they will have good reason to be glad that they did.

Your friend,
HARRY M. CAUDILL,
(Pol. Adv.)

Can The People Win?



Is the time with us yet that the poor and the common man has a chance in politics with the moneyed rich? These questions are being discussed on the streets, at the country stores, Post Office, and the cross roads of the country in a great number of our homes. Has the time come that money shall determine who is to be elected to office in this country? I want you, who read this to ponder these questions carefully. It may be your son or daughter that is a candidate next time. I frequently hear it said that the money is against me. I know that this is a fact. The only wealth I possess is a home. I can get and will get enough money to bear what is a reasonable expense for this campaign. This office and every other office in the county should belong to the people and I believe that in this campaign the people will assert their independence as citizens and will elect men to office upon their merits, men who they believe will give them honest and efficient service, men who they believe will not be swayed because of money. Is the time here when only the mighty and powerful rich can win an election? These are the questions that you should answer. These are the questions that will concern you and your children after you. I am not asking that you believe me a pauper. I am just one of the Great Common people among you. It has fallen my lot to make this fight against one that has a horde of wealth and money to spare. I have faith in the good fathers and mothers of this county and I do believe that you will not let me down. I have had two sons in this awful war and while they were risking their lives on the battlefields, one of my great consolations was the fact that I had tried to live a life before them that it would be well for them to strive to emulate. Now they are returning to us along with many of yours and what we need most is some one to work with them who has the sympathetic feeling for them that can only be had by those of us who have had loved ones who went through that awful maelstrom of death over there. (Many will never come back. I have a brother in that number) I want you to read this to your family and discuss it with your neighbor. Ask yourselves the question, "Can the people win?"

I have been a peace officer for the past twenty years and during that time I have never failed to serve a process or warrant that has been placed in my hands. I have never had an occasion to use force. Black jacks and pistols are a very useless ornament to an officer if he uses wisdom and discretion when going about his official duties. By the help of God and the voters of Letcher County, I will win this race. I will be fighting constantly until the last vote is cast. Call your neighbor and tell him that this is my fight, your fight, and his fight. It is the fight of the Great Common people against the money and we can and will

Boy Scout Field Executive Discharged From Army

Chas. A. Blaine, former Field Executive of the Big Camp District, Lonesome Pine Council, returned to the Council on September 21, where he has been stationed for the last nine months. Mr. Blaine has already gone back into Scouting in this Council, and will be employed as Assistant Executive, working with Mr. Harold Hayes, the Council Executive.

Since the war began, the training of adult leaders, and the organization of district activities has suffered particularly in this Council. Never, since 1941 has this Scout Office had the services of half the number of Executives that it normally employs. Despite this fact, the total number of Scouts registered has continued to increase. Mr. Blaine will be engaged in the recruiting and training of adult leaders, and the building up of the various District Organizations of the Lonesome Pine Council.

Nembutal Drunks Give Police Trouble In Harlan Co.

Harlan, Ky., Oct. 2. — The "black market" of nembutal, a barbiturate that is supposed to be taken only on the advice of physicians... is giving Harlan City police as much trouble as liquor.

More than 3,000 of the capsule sedatives, being used by addicts to bring about a drunk, emesis, have been taken off city jail prisoners in the last month.

More than 600 were found in the possession of one man.

As a result of this disclosure, the Harlan County Medical Society, the Harlan County Health Department and the State Department of Health have become interested in the free flow of the drug-like capsules.

Dr. Tracy Jones, president of the Harlan County Medical Society, and Dr. S. L. Andelman, county health officer, said yesterday they were acting "to do something about it."

The problem is one of the Police Department's biggest "headaches" according to Asst. Chief of Police Avery Hensley.

"More than half of the men and women we lock up for drunkenness are 'hopped up' from nembutals," Hensley said. "We have had several crimes committed by nembutal addicts."

Dr. Jones reported that two deaths in the county recently were attributed to the barbiturate.

The problem facing the police and health authorities is the finding of the source of supply. Police authorities are not blaming drug stores. They say that while some may come from the drug stores, the supply in the hands of bootleggers indicates a far greater source. They said they want either state or federal authorities to look into the situation.

The federal action, if any, would have to come through the Federal Pure Food and Drug Administration because the nembutals do not come under narcotic classification. —From Harlan Enterprise

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—Adv. Committee.
(Pol. Adv.)

Former Letcherite Slain While at Work In Henry County

Ance Ingram, former Letcher County, was murdered Sunday night while feeding his stock at his home in Henry County. It is said he was shot from the barn loft and today no one has been apprehended for the crime. It was not thought that Mr. Ingram had an enemy in the world and he had had no trouble with his neighbors or friends that was known of by his family. The body was brought back to his old home on Linefork for burial which took place Oct. 4th, with Revs. Kirby Ison, Caleb Creech and others taking part in the last rites.

Mr. Ingram was well-known on Linefork and throughout Letcher County. He married the daughter of John Holcomb of the lower end of Linefork who survives along with a large number of other close relatives and friends.

S. Sgt. Glenn E. Spradlin and Ullis Hunsucker of Sergeant had the good fortune to meet on Sept. 5th in Manilla aboard the U S S San Sabo which is taking them to Yokohama, Japan for the occupation. About two months ago S. Sgt. Spradlin met Arthur Taylor.



Bentley-Taylor Engagement Announced
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bentley announce the marriage of their daughter, Eunice, to Pfc. Paul Taylor, son of Mr. W. M. Taylor.

Mrs. Patrick Vanover

Mrs. Virginia Vanover, passed from this life suddenly with a heart attack on Sept. 26, 1945. She had not been well for sometime but was not critically ill. Her sudden passing was a sad shock to her family. She was born on June 25, 1876 being 69 years, 3 months and 1 day of age. She is survived by her bereaved husband Patrick Hagen Vanover of Burdine and several sons and daughters. She was a fine mother, wife, neighbor and friend, and will be sadly missed. Funeral services were held at the Holiness Church of Rocky Hollow, Jenkins, Ky., on Sept. 28, 1945 at 12:00 P. M. o'clock, with Rev. Haley officiating. Burial in the Vanover Cemetery, East Jenkins, Ky. Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Collins are the proud parents of a baby girl born September 10, and has been named Patsy Carol.

Phillips of Haymond, Ky., in the mountains of Luzon. Sgt. Spradlin was connected with the Letcher County Farm Security Administration prior to going into the service. He married Miss Helen Lynch who is now connected with the Whitesburg Red Cross Chapter.



Taylor. Miss Bentley has chosen Friday, October 5th, as the date for her wedding, which will take place at the home of her parents at 7:00 p. m.

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"Ex-Servicemen's News"

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING UNDER G. I. BILL

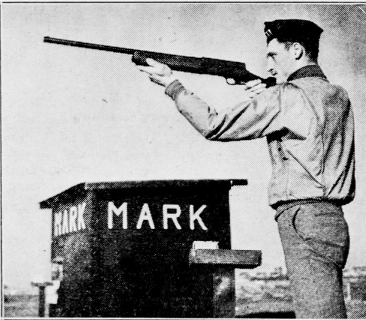
A World War II veteran, who had 90 days or more of active service and who was discharged under conditions other than dishonorable is entitled to education or training under the "G. I. Bill of Rights". The veteran who meets these requirements is entitled to education for one year. If the veteran was under 25 years of age at the time he entered service, the law presumes his education was "interrupted or interfered with", and he is entitled to education or training for the one year plus a period equal to the number of days of active service. A veteran who was 25 years of age or older, at the time he began his active service is entitled to one calendar year of education or training including a "refresher" course not to exceed one year, or, such lesser time as may be required. However, if that veteran who was 25 years of age or over can show that his education was interrupted with or was interrupted by his entering the service, he is eligible for additional education or training beyond the one year the same as the veteran who was under 25 years of age.

Only schools, industrial and mercantile establishments which are approved by the Veterans Administration. Veterans who wish to pursue such courses at a particular institution may learn whether it is approved by inquiring at this office or the nearest office of the Veterans Administration.

Application for training is made on the Veterans Administration Form 1950. This application, after completion, should be sent to this office or that of the Veterans Administration, accompanied by a certified copy of the veteran's discharge certificate. The Veterans Administration will then process the application and issue a Certificate of Eligibility which will indicate that he is entitled to education or training and the period of time of training he is entitled to. The Certificate is presented to the Registrar of the desired institution on the date of registration.

Tuition fees not to exceed \$500.00 for a school year is paid by the government. In addition, the veteran is paid a subsistence allowance of \$50 per month if he has no dependents, and \$75 a month if he has dependents.

CAPT. MAGGARD INSTRUCTS IN GUNNERY



CAPT. GURNIS MAGGARD, of Lothair, is the officer in charge of Skeet Shooting Range at an Army Air Base in England where pilots and gunners practice their marksmanship which aided them in piling up "kills" against the German Luftwaffe and Wehrmacht. Capt. Maggard, a former aerial gunner, is in addition to his range duties, the commanding officer of the ordnance section of a fighter repair base. Son of Mrs. Martha Maggard, Capt. Maggard entered the armed forces in June, 1938, and served in the Panama Canal Zone and Hawaii. In August, 1942, he entered the Ordnance Officer School and was commissioned a second lieutenant in November of that year. He was made a first lieutenant in June, 1943, and a captain in May, 1944.



O. L. McOffie, South Irvine, Ky.; J. G. Quillen, Neon, Ky.; J. Q. Sumpter, Marlowe, Ky., saying hello to the folks back home, especially the boys who have come home with a discharge from service. We are hoping to be with you soon.

WAINWRIGHT INSPECTS SON'S SHIP

General Jonathan Wainwright, hero of Corregidor, upon his arrival in the United States, after inspecting his son's ship, the "Lakeland Victory", said, "I am proud that my son, Commander Wainwright of the United States Maritime Service, is part of this great American Merchant Marine. The youth of the nation and the training they are given now for service in the Merchant Marine will greatly effect the post-war economy of the United States. The winning of the war depended upon the amount of supplies that were delivered by this great fleet to every Pacific base and beachhead." Coincidentally with the General's arrival in San Francisco, his son's ship happened to be docked in this same city.

Volunteers for United States Maritime Service training to serve in the Merchant Marine are still being accepted at the Regional Enrolling Office in Cleveland, it was pointed out by Lieutenant D. C. Phillips, Regional Enrolling Officer. Interested men between the ages of 17 and 50 should contact the United States Maritime Service Enrolling Office, 1720 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland Ohio in person or by letter. Full particulars may also be obtained from any United States Employment Office.

VETERANS ASKED TO REGISTER AND SAFEGUARD MACHINE GUNS, AUTOMATIC WEAPONS

Washington, Sept. 27. — In behalf of public safety, Joseph D. Nunan, Jr., Commissioner of Internal Revenue, today appealed to all members and veterans of the armed forces and their families to register and safeguard all machine guns and similar automatic weapons which have been brought into the country as war trophies.

Calling attention to the mandatory provisions of the National Firearms Act of 1934, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, Commissioner Nunan said:

"We have hesitated to do anything to hinder service families in the enjoyment of their richly-earned trophies of war. However, our attention has been called to several instances in recent months where criminals have stolen or otherwise acquired war trophy guns and have used the weapons for criminal purposes. I am issuing these cautions for the safety both of service families and the public at large.

"Under the law registration must be made at once by every possessor of any firearms of the automatic type, such as machine pistols, machine guns, submachine guns, or any type gun from which a number of shots or bullets may be discharged with one continuous pull of the trigger. I urge all servicemen, veterans, and their families having any such guns, to communicate at once—in person, by telephone, or mail—with the nearest office of an Investigator in Charge, Alcohol Tax Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue, or to write to me in Washington. A representative of the Bureau will call and assist them with the registration without charge.

"At the same time, I urge possessors of these weapons to accept the assistance of the Bureau representative in rendering them inoperative. This will not affect the souvenir value of the weapons, but will prevent accidents and keep them out of the hands of the criminal element.

"Furthermore, as long as the weapon is serviceable, the law requires payment of the \$200 tax upon each sale, exchange, gift, or other transfer of the firearm. If the gun is made permanently inoperative, it may be transferred as a war trophy without payment of the \$200 tax by the filing of Form 5 (Firearms) with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C. "I earnestly hope that service families will understand that these cautions are being issued for their protection—not only against the consequences of possessing deadly weapons, but also protection against violation of the National Firearms Act which provides penalties up to five

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years in prison and a \$2,000 fine for each violation. Careful compliance with this law will, on the other hand, permit safe enjoyment of war trophies of the type mentioned."

Martin McRoberts

Win Safety Meet

Pikeville, Ky. — McRoberts and Martin mines today held the safety mine contest awards, won in the annual two-day competition held here the past week-end.

McRoberts mine of the Consolidated Coal Company, and Martin mine of the Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company won the mine rescue event and the first aid contest respectively: Martin scoring a perfect 1,500 points on first aid work.

The event, sponsored by the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Mining Institute, is the highlight of the safety program for mines in the field. Approximately 6,000 Big Sandy miners attended, with many teams sharing in the \$1,800 award money for various event winners.

Cooperating with the mining institute in staging the safety day program were the Big Sandy Elkhorn Coal Operators Association, the United Mine Workers of America, the U. S. Bureau of Mines, and the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals.

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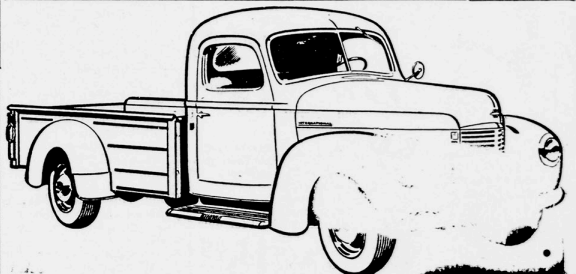


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Overseas 25 months. Pvt. Sexton is a refusing operator with the command, which supplies an dmaintains fighters and bombers of the occupational air force.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas, daughter Mildred and J. D. Banks motored to Johnson City, Tenn., Sunday of last week and enjoyed dinner at Milligan College where Mildred is enrolled in school. Her brother, Billie, is having the Mountain Eagle sent to her there.

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In the public schools of America today the reading of the Bible is a matter on which each of the 48 states makes its own ruling.

The American Bible Society, in a recent survey, finds that Bible reading in the public schools is required in 11 states, prohibited by 4 states and in the remaining 33 it is permitted although not required.

FORTY YEARS AGO

I wandered to the village, Tom I sat beneath the tree
Upon the school house playground
That sheltered you and me

But none were left to greet me, Tom
And few are left to know
Who played with us upon the green

Just forty years ago

The same old brick are in the wall
The bell swings to and fro
It's music just the same, dear Tom

'Twas forty years ago.

The old school house is altered some

The benches are replaced

By new ones very like the same

Our jack knives had defaced.

Near by the spring upon an elm

You know I cut your name

Your sweetheart's just beneath it, Tom

And you did mine the same.

Some heartless wretch had

pealed the bark

'Twas dying sure but slow

Just as that one whose name you cut

Died forty years ago.

And kneeling down to take a drink

Dear Tom I started so

To see how much I'd changed

Since forty years ago.

I visited the old church yard

And took some flowers to strow

Upon the graves of those we loved

Some forty years ago.

And when our time shall come,

Tom

I hope we'll meet with those we loved

Just forty years ago.

—Contributed by N. R. DAY.

Swannanoa, N. C. — Pvt. Jim Cornett, son of Luther Cornett of Route 1, Waynesburg, Ky., has been given an honorable discharge from the Army at Moore General Hospital Separation Point here.

Cornett entered the service September 25, 1935, at Richmond and was stationed in the Hawaiian Islands for two years and in the Philippines for 30 months as a member of the Regular Army. He was also at Camp Gordon, Ga., for two years, and spent two years at Ft. Dix, N. J.

He went overseas in January, 1944 and served in the European Theater as a machine gunner with the 12th Regiment of the Fourth (Ivy) Division.

He saw combat in Normandy and wears the Purple Heart for a battle wound and the Combat Infantry Badge for meritorious achievement in action.

Before enlisting, he was engaged in farming.

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SMITH-BURKLOW WEDDING IN CHEVY CHASE CHURCH

Washington, D. C. — Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church was the setting for the wedding yesterday of Miss Barbara Jeanne Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Irving Smith, and Sgt. Thomas Rhudell Burklow, son of Mrs. Thomas Burklow, of Mrs. Thomas Burklow, of Fleming, Ky., and the late Mr. Burklow.

The ceremony at 4:00 p. m. was performed by the Rev. J. Hillman Hollister and was preceded by a program of organ music given by Lt. Kenneth Frisbie. Mr. Smith gave his daughter in marriage. (Gown made of Parachute Silk)

The bride's gown was of nylon, fashioned from a parachute brought back from the Pacific by the bridegroom. It was cut on princess lines, trimmed about the neck and long sleeves with rose point lace. Her veil, which fell the length of the train was of Brussels lace. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli and stephanotis.

Miss Peg Stockett, maid of honor, was in blue gray taffets made with a tight bodice and full tulle skirt. She wore a matching cup of tulle and carried Brandywine roses and lavender asters.

Miss Regina Finch and Miss Wilda Blair, bridesmaids, wore aqua gowns like that of the maid of honor, with matching tulle halos. They carried bouquets of Brandywine roses.

Sgt. Thomas R. Hackney of Neon, Ky., was the best man and ushers were Sgt. V. M. Nixon, Detroit, Mich., and Sgt. Ernest E. Calvin of Chicago, Ill. (On Southern Trip)

A reception in the Chinese Room of the Mayflower Hotel followed the ceremony. Mrs. Smith receiving with her son-in-law and daughter, wore a fuchsia gown with black accessories.

When the bride and bridegroom left on a motor trip South, Mrs. Burklow wore a green suit with black accessories. They will make their home in Kokomo, Ind.

Here for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hiatt, Miss Betty Hiatt, Frank Hiatt, all of Indianapolis, Ind. R. B. Young, Baltimore, Md., Mrs. Sarah B. Smith, Wilmington, Del., Mrs. W. C. Bolgiano, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Fleming, Smyrna, Ind., Miss Jane Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Martin, Richmond, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins, Culpeper, Va., Also Mrs. Harold Howe, Frederick, Md., was one of the guests.

—From Washington Paper.

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Announcement of J. H. ABBOTT

—FOR—
POLICE JUDGE
of Town of Jenkins
ON THE INDEPENDENT
TICKET UNDER THE DEVICE
OF THE
Scales of Justice
NOVEMBER 6TH ELECTION
NOV. 6TH ELECTION, 1945



I am convinced that all Trial Judges should be elected on a Non-Partisan Ticket in order to eliminate all Politics from that office which could cause the Judge to be accused of showing partisan favor and thereby causing a miscarriage of Justice. He should be elected on his QUALIFICATIONS ONLY. He should comply with the oath he takes when inducted into that office; that is, to serve all the people according to Law, regardless of their Politics, nationality, Religion, or color.

I have, for the past sixteen years, rendered all my Judgments according to the law, and with as much mercy as the Law permitted. I feel that I am now much better qualified—legally, physically, and morally, to serve you than ever before. Therefore, I am asking for your indorsement and support in the November 6th Election of 1945.

Thanking the good citizens of Jenkins for their past loyal support and promising to make you a better Judge than at any previous time,

I am most gratefully yours,

J. H. ABBOTT

Uncle John.

Smoot Creek News

(by Ruby J. and Georgann Frazier)

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Cornett spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennis were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noha Cockrell.

Miss Anna Mae Cockrell and Mr. Noha Cockrell of Detroit, Mich., are now home.

Mrs. Charley Maggard spent Sunday evening with Mr. George Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Maggard received a telegram Friday that their son, Pfc. Cecil Maggard was in the States and expects to be home soon.

Miss Calene and Willis Dean Maggard spent three nights this week in Cumberland with their cousin.

Miss Irene Maggard spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Maggard.

Misses Ruby J. and Georgann Frazier.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

"For now the corn-house filled, the harvest home, The invited neighbors to the husking come."



THE HUSKING BEE MARKED THE END OF A SEASON'S WORK — WITH THE HARVEST IN, THERE WAS TIME AND SPIRIT FOR RELAXATION AND MERRIMENT, BASED ON SOLID SATISFACTION IN THE JOB ACCOMPLISHED AND IN THE PROVISIONS STORED UP FOR THE FUTURE. IT IS TRADITIONAL IN AMERICA THAT HARD WORK AND THRIFT BRING SATISFACTION IN THE "HARVEST" SUCH AS PROVISION FOR THE FAMILY'S CURRENT LIVING AND SECURITY FOR THE FUTURE THROUGH VICTORY BONDS, LIFE INSURANCE AND SAVINGS.

ann Frazier spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Cornett.

Pvt. Herald Maggard who has been stationed at Vandalla Ohio is now stationed at Patterson Field, Ohio, and expecting to be discharged real soon.

Mr. Melvin Frazier who has been working in Indiana is home for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Frazier and Pfc. and Mrs. Sterlon Frazier spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Hyton.

Miss Verneda and Lovel Maggard were Sunday guests of Miss Fayette and Carmel Frazier.

Pvt. Walter C. Ison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ison is expecting to be shipped across soon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Dee Cornett are taking their little daughter, Emma Dee Cornett to the Hazard Hospital to have her tonsils removed and also Miss Ruby J. Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Frazier received a letter stating that their grandson, Lovell Frazier, is in eastern Maine.

Veterans Query Post

—by—
Eddie C. Sparkman, V.E.R. U. S. Employment Service

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This column is published for the benefit of Veterans, Servicemen or their families. Address inquiries to Veterans Query Post, P.O. Box 360, Hazard, Ky.

Q. While I was a prisoner of Germany I performed labor for them and was paid in German money. I now have quite a bit of their currency and I want to know if it is of any value?

A. Present this money to any bank and they will forward to the Exchange in New York and have it converted to American money for you.

Q. I was discharged from the Army last week. I want to take Vocational Training in air conditioning. What is the correct procedure in applying for education under the "G. I. Bill"?

A. Contact Service Officer of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Servicemen's Board at the Hazard Servicemen's Club. They will analyze your case and assist you in preparing the proper form for training that would be most suitable in your case. This office will also help you with problems concerning pensions, insurance and hospitalization.

Q. I was honorably discharged from the Women's Army Corps last month. Am I considered a veteran the same as the men of armed forces?

A. You certainly are and you are entitled to all of the veteran's benefits as a veteran of World War II.



PLEASE DON'T FORGET About My Eyes!

"I KNOW you older folks are busier than you ever were before. But I've only got the one pair of eyes—and if you don't help me take care of them, you and I may both regret it some day."

It's a fact that many people are too busy—and too worried to take the simple precautions that help conserve precious eyesight. Here are three easy rules anyone can follow.

1

Avoid shadows. Make sure you have good light on your book or work. Shadows strain eyes.

2

Avoid glare from bare bulbs. Don't sit facing the light. Glare strains eyes.

3

Have eyes examined regularly. If eyes are defective, vision can be greatly helped with proper glasses.

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Lions Club Collects \$556.25 For 4-H Club Fund

The 4-H Club members, members, leaders and Extension workers of Letcher County deeply appreciate the interest the Lions Club has taken in our program. We feel that their efforts in our behalf has greatly strengthened the 4-H Club organization. The Lions Club set as their goal to raise \$350 for financing 4-H Club and Homemakers Exhibits. This goal was reached and surpassed. The total amount collected was \$556.25.

Thanks to the following contributors who by their contributions, made it possible for Letcher County to enjoy the beautiful displays:

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**CEDAR GROVE
4-H CLUB NEWS**
The Cedar Grove 4-H Club held its regular monthly meeting, September 14. The Song Leader led us in the song, "4-H Pastoral." The roll was responded to by what vegetable we like. Our program was about storage structures, and the following members participated:
Raising More Food, by Janice D. Watts;
Mound Storage by Billy J. Watts;
Banks Storage, by Reed E. Watts;
Fit and Barrel Storage, by Franklin D. Watts.
We chose the champions of our club as follows:
Janice D. Watts, Sewing;

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Grada Campbell, Canning
Colman Campbell, Pigs.
The song leaders led us in
singing, "A Plowing Song."
GRADA CAMPBELL,
News Reporter.

**MAYKING 4-H
CLUB NEWS**
The Mayking 4-H Club held its monthly meeting in the school building. We elected our 1946 officers because most of our officers are going to High School. They are as follows:
President—Gobel Stidham;
Vice President—Ronnie Kincer.
Secretary—June Polly.
News Reporter—Thelma Wampler.
Song Leaders: Francis Williams, Melba Adams, Mattie Fugate.
We had a nice program. Our plans for the coming years are to have a better 4-H Club and to live out motto.
—Thelma Wampler
News Reporter.

**CONSERVATION OFFICERS
MAKE ARRESTS**
Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 30.—A couple of Kentucky boys, one 16 and the other 15, had to learn the hard way, but a couple of Kentucky judges exercised due wisdom and the lesson was not as hard as it might have been.
Both lads were arrested by conservation officers for hunting out of season. In one court, the 16-year-old paid a fine of one cent and costs; in the other, only costs were assessed and the 15-year-old defendant was placed on his good behavior.
In his report to the Division of Game and Fish, the first judge wrote: "This lad of 16 years was honest and frank about this violation. He had his license but did not know the season had expired. Taking everything into consideration, the attorney recommended a reduction of the charge was acceptable to the court."
The second judge reported: "This defendant being only 15 years of age, and this being his first offense, the court placed him on his good behavior."
The hard part: Each boy paid \$9.50 in court costs.

Frankfort, Ky.—Conservation officers of the Division of Game and Fish made 98 arrests for Kentucky game law violations during the month of August, 1945. Frank Phipps, superintendent of law enforcement for the Division, said that was by far the highest number for any August of the past four years.
Violation of fishing regulations topped the list of charges on which defendants were haled into court. In addition

to fines and costs, the defendants lost nets, seines, fish traps, guns and other paraphernalia which Phipps estimated to be worth in the neighborhood of \$2,000. The material was declared contraband.
Disposition of the cases was as follows: 65 convictions, nine in which defendants were acquitted, and 24 cases pending.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

When bugles sound their final notes
And bombs explode no more
And we return to what we did
Before we went to war.
Will make some worthy gentleman
Feel like an awful mess.
Just think of some poor "Captain"
Minus all his silver bars
Standing up behind some counter
Selling peanuts and cigars.
And think of all the majors
When their oak leaf's far behind
And the uniform they're wearing
Is the western union kind.

Shed a tear for some poor
"Colonel"
If he doesn't feel himself.
Jerking sodas isn't easy
When your eagle's on the shelf.
This a bitter pill to swallow
"Scuttle But!" will leave
Being Messengers and clerks
again.
Is a mighty cross to bear.

So be kind to working people
That you meet where'er you go
For the guy who's washing
dishes
May have been your "Old
C. O."
—Cpl. Leonard Younce
Service Co. 711 Gp. Bn.
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EOLIA NEWS

By Mrs. Carue Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Goodie are the proud parents of a baby boy, who has been given the name Ulysses Warren. Both mother and baby are doing fine.
Mr. and Mrs. George Burke are the proud parents of a baby boy who has been given the name Robert George.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lewis have moved to Wooten - Leslie County, Ky. Their neighbors sure hated to see them leave Eolia but wish them luck in their new home.
Mr. and Mrs. Riley Coots and family have moved to McRoberts, Ky., where Mr. Coots is employed in the mines there.

Mrs. Carue Smith has received word from her husband Pfc. Carue Smith, stating that he won't be coming home un-

til in the early part of next year at the earliest.

He's being sent to Verdun France. Just why he is being sent there is not known at the time this is written.

Pvt. Fred Smith has returned home for another 15-day leave. He's expecting a discharge after he gets back in camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Caudill and son, Frankie, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Caudill.

Six Youths Are Charged with Housebreaking

This week six youths from the Hemphill area are in the Whitesburg Jail charged with storehouse breaking.
The officers: Jim Short, Willard Hall, Mack Bentley and Shelley Lequire gave the report to the Eagle. On last Sunday night the Service Dry Cleaning Plant of Neon was broken into and some \$2500 worth of clothing stolen. Browning's Cash Grocery was broken into the same night; also Burkman's residence in Hemphill.

Those accused were soon rounded up and today are being held by Judge B. F. Wright under \$5,000 Peace Bond and have also been indicted by the Letcher County Grand Jury for housebreaking on two counts. When the accused were apprehended they had on their persons quite a large quantity of home made hand grenades and had proceeded to plant them in several dangerous places where they had been. Among the accused are five young men and one young girl, three of whom have been in prison before or the reform school and also one ex-service man.

According to Mr. Fulton, owner and manager of the Service Dry Cleaning plant, practically all of the merchandise taken from his business has been recovered.

Dear Sirs:

I just received my copy of The Mountain Eagle and was very much pleased with it. I notice where a lot of the boys are coming home. I know how they feel, and I would like to be on my way home. But as it is my outfit pulls out for China the 27th of this month. We will be one hundred and fifty miles south of Tinsen. I understand they have some bad winters there. The "Scuttle But!" will leave there around the first of the year for home.

As you know, we had a tough time on Okinawa, our division is credited with 73 percent of the island. Our losses were very heavy. Tell all the folks hello for me and I will see them soon.

Thanking you, I remain,
—Pfc. Ted Sexton
H & S Co., 29th Marines
6th Marine Div.
c/o Fleet P. O.
San Francisco, Calif.

OBITUARIES

Reported by The
CRAFT FUNERAL HOMES
Whitesburg, Ky. - Neon, Ky.

Mrs. Charlie Lucas

Mrs. Polly Lucas of Camp Branch, Ky., died at her residence on Saturday, September 2, 1945 after an illness of several months. She was born January 4, 1888, being 57 years, 8 months and 18 days of age at her passing. Her husband preceded her in death eight years ago. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Nettie Schaleford, Camp Branch, and Mrs. Linda Banks, Camp Branch; three children preceded her in death, Princess Lucas, Matthew Lucas, and Mrs. Rachel Hampton. She is also survived by her aged father, A. B. Niece of Camp Branch, Ky. For many years she was a devout member of the Holiness Church, although she has been in poor health for quite a while and had much physical suffering, she bore it patiently. She was a good mother and a fine neighbor. Funeral services were held at the residence at Camp Branch on Monday, September 24, 1945 at 10:00 A. M. with Reverend Mallie Cook and John Lucas officiating. Burial in the West Breeding cemetery, Camp Branch, Kentucky. Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Roy Wilder

Mrs. Lucy Belle Wilder of Whitesburg, Kentucky died at her home on Saturday, September 22, 1945. She had been in poor health for the past five years and critically ill for the past month. She was born April 7, 1900, being 45 years 5 months and 15 days of age at the time of her passing. She was married to Roy Wilder and to them were born eleven children. Mrs. Dorothy Neal, Pardee, Va., Mrs. Lulu Sanborn, Seco; Mrs. Della Chestnut, Indiana; Hughie, Seco; and Alice, Robert Lynn, Joyce, Billy, Oscar, and Irvin at home, Junior, deceased. Mrs. Wilder was a member of the Church of God, Whitesburg, Ky. She and Mrs. Wilder have lived in Whitesburg for the past eleven years, he being an employee of the Southeast Coal Company. She was a good mother and wife. During her last weeks of illness she endured much suffering but was always glad to have her neighbors and friends come to see her. She will be sadly missed. Funeral services were held at the Church of God, Whitesburg, on Wednesday, September 26, 1945 at 1:00 P. M. with Revs. Bee Day, Sid Sandlin and Floyd officiating. Burial in the Whitesburg cemetery. Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Linda Fay Huff

Linda Fay Huff, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Huff of Pine Creek, died at the home of her parents on

Monday, September 24, 1945. She was born February 14, 1945, being 7 months and 10 days old at the time of her death. She is survived by the bereaved parents and one brother, Harrison. Her father is an employee of the Gardner Bates Coal Company. Funeral services were held at Smoot Creek on Tuesday, September 25, and burial was in the family cemetery, Smoot Creek. Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Sylvia Ison

Sylvia Ison, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ison of Kona, Ky., passed away at the home of her parents on Tuesday, September 25, 1945. Sylvia was born July 23, 1945, being 2 months and 2 days old at her death. She is survived by the bereaved parents, her twin, Phyllis, four sisters, Mary Ann, Claudine, Irene, and Lana Sue and one brother, Arnold Edward. They moved to Kona in October, 1944, where Mr. Ison was an employee of the Elkhorn Coal Company. Funeral services were held at Smoot Creek on Thursday, September 27, 1945. Burial in the Smoot Creek cemetery. Craft's in charge.

Mrs. Ed Baker

Mrs. Virgie Baker of Cram Creek, Ky., died at her residence of a heart attack on Monday night, Oct. 1, 1945. Mrs. Baker had been in poor health for some time, but was able to do her housework. Her sudden death was a sad shock to her family. She was born Sept. 10, 1898, being 47 years of age at the time of her death. She is survived by her husband and the following children: Scott Baker, Mrs. Marie Fugate of Cram Creek, Mrs. Helen Johnson of Hammond, Pvt. Edknew Baker of the U. S. Army, and Alphretta, Magalee, Ada, Stacey, Ruby Ann, and Doyle Reno at home. Mr. and Mrs. Baker have lived on Cram Creek since 1931. She was a lovely and good mother and wife, and her presence in the home will be sadly missed. Funeral services were held at the residence of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, on Wednesday, October 3, at 1:00 P. M. with Elders G. Bennett Adams and Dewey Sexton and others, officiating. Burial in the Family Cemetery, Cram Creek, Ky. Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Willie Dahaware was taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital for medical treatment and examination. The latest report states that he has not as yet undergone an operation, and the doctors have not decided whether or not one will be necessary.

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Special News

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UPPER COWAN NEWS

Mrs. Delmar Raleigh has gone to see her sister, Mrs. Faraby North, of Lynch, Ky., who has undergone a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Frazier are expecting their son, Cpl. Pascal Frazier home from Europe. Cpl. Frazier has been overseas two years with the Ninth Air Force. Mrs. Frazier and two small children reside with her parents on Kingdom Come.

Sgt. Claude Proffitt, formerly of Day, Ky., and Miss Rose Mary Earle of Covington, Ky., were united in marriage recently.

Jack Frazier reports that there are plenty deer, bears and potatoes in Maine.

Pvt. Willard Maggard is stationed at Little Rock, Ark.

A party was given in honor of Cpl. Otis Caudill at his home Sunday night. A large crowd attended and all reported a nice time.

Miss Nancy Katherine Frazier celebrated her thirteenth birthday recently.

Cpl. Leonard Younce and Pvt. Morris Maggard are still in Okinawa, Shima where they've been for the past five months. They are being sent to Korea.

Pfc. Elmer Miles is in the Southwest Pacific on Molucca.

SERGENT NEWS
(Last week's news)

Miss Linda Lou Franklin and Miss Gracie Brown have returned back to school after spending the week end with their parents and friends.

Mrs. Clarence Stamper and children of Frankfort, Ky., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Shores, Parents of Mrs. Stamper.

Pvt. Major Webb and Miss Nova Caudill were united in marriage last week. Pvt. Webb is stationed in Oregon in the Army.

Miss Joy Ruth Webb spent Sunday with Misses Betty and Imogene Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Addington and Mrs. L. P. Cox were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Franklin and Linda Lou.

this week end.

Mr. Delmer Webb is on the sick list at this writing.

We were all very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Jo Basham. He was a fine man and lived in Richlands, Va. He is the father of Mrs. Roy Shores of Sergeant, Ky.

Mr. Lane Watts is on the sick list, she has been ill for some time.

Pvt. Austin Proffitt has returned back to camp after spending a 30-day furlough with his parents and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Proffitt were the Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lum Proffitt.

A WORD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many friends, and relatives for their generous aid and sympathy in our sad hour of grief and bereavement, in the loss of our darling baby Johnnie. He was 14 months old, and the pride and joy of everyone that met him. He departed this life Sept. 11, 1945, leaving his father, mother, and twin sister, Sandra, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn his loss. We want to thank every one that came to our aid, and spoke a comforting word in our bereavement.

We want to thank the ministers for their consoling words in our behalf. We also want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Craft of the Craft Funeral Home for their tender care and painstaking of our darling. We also want to thank our relatives and neighbors for the beautiful flowers.

We also want to thank the little flower girls that so tenderly carried the flowers.

We want to thank every one in our aid. May God Bless them all in one bundle of love is our prayer.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs.
John W. Franklin
Grandfather and
Grandmother Franklin.

For Typewriter repair work and office supplies, inquire at Mr. Eagle office, Phone 95.

Camp Branch News

Sgt. Ted Boatright and wife are here for a 15-day vacation from Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Arlie Bowens was rushed to the Fleming Hospital where she underwent an appendectomy operation. She is reported doing fine.

Edna Richardson is in the hospital now. She is seriously ill.

Mrs. Polly Lucas died Saturday. The remains were laid to rest in the family cemetery with Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Sgt. Ted Boatright and wife Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boatright and son visited with Patton Boatright in Morgan County over the week end.

Visiting at the home of Mrs. Corbett Bowens was her brother, Sgt. Burl Bach from Florida.

Mr. Charlie Proffitt is seriously ill with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Caudill are the proud parents of a big baby boy. It has been named Johnny D.

Mrs. Vesta Sergeant has received word that her husband, Pfc. John M. Sergeant, is now in Tokyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vermillion were pleased to have their son, Ralph home from Stuart Robinson School this week end.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Niece was their son, Ballard Niece and family from Mayking.

Sgt. Claude Taylor reported back to camp after spending a thirty day furlough at home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of our many friends who, in our hour of sorrow so willingly helped bear our burdens. We want to thank those who gave such beautiful flowers, also, the Masonic Lodge of Whitesburg and the Craft's Funeral Home, which performed such a nice funeral for our loved one. May God shower each and every one of you with His richest blessings.

"Our Loss is Heaven's Gain."
—Mrs. J. R. Basham and Family,
Richlands, Va.

Headquarters 3rd Inf. Division
Office of Commanding General

30 April, 1945.
Subject: Award of Bronze Star Medal.

To: Private First Class
Haymond Amburgey,
Anti-Tank Company 15th
Infantry.

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, you are awarded the Bronze Star Medal for valorous conduct in action against the enemy:

CITATION:
Haymond Amburgey, 35773811 Private First Class, Infantry, Anti-Tank Company, 15th Infantry Regiment for valorous conduct in action against the enemy. On the early morning of 2 January, 1945, on Hill 216 near France, Private First Class Amburgey left the cover of a foxhole and crawled fifteen yards under aimed enemy rifle and machine pistol fire to an exposed position to encounter an attacking force of an estimated twenty Germans. Despite bullets hammering the earth at about him and barely missing him, he single handedly engaged the attacking enemy in a fierce fire fight at a range of 100 yards and with his M-1 rifle killed three, wounded eight of the enemy and was instrumental in driving the remainder off. Residence: Isom, Ky.

John W. O'Daniel
Major General,
U. S. Army,
Commanding.

(Pfc. Amburgey is the husband of Mrs. Ina Amburgey of Isom, Ky., and the son of Monroe Amburgey of Sandlick, Ky.)

Sgt. William J. Ewen, formerly of Whitesburg, Ky., has now received his discharge from the Army. Sgt. Ewen has spent 23 months in Greenland but has now resumed his duties as Sales Manager of the Bedford Coal Company, 414 Walnut, Cincinnati, Ohio. His brother, Sgt. Kelley Ewen whose wife resides in Pikeville, Ky., is with the 805th Army Marine Shipbuilding Repair Company (8th Army) stationed at Tokyo. The boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Ewen, 113 Delaware Avenue, Charlestown, W. Va., and will be remembered as the sons of the late Ace Ewen, Kentucky Coal operator.

Billie Ralph Wright, seaman, first class, Dunham, Ky., is serving on the USS Arlington, which has been a training ship for 14 months. Crews, assembled to serve on new Navy ships, receive their final outfit training on her.

Aboard the U. S. S. MISSISSIPPI, Tokyo Bay—Arlie L. Brown, Jr., W.T.3c, got his first glimpse of the Japanese homeland August 27, when his ship, the U. S. S. MISSISSIPPI sailed up to Tokyo Bay as part of Admiral "Bull" Halsey's powerful Third Occupation Fleet.

He served as a member of Engineering force aboard the 40,000 ton battleship during the Aleutians, Gilberts, Marshalls, Bismarck Archipelago, the Palaus, the Philippines, and Ryukyus operations. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with 7 battle stars, the Philippine Liberation ribbon with 2 stars, along with the American Theatre ribbon.

Arlie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Lee Brown of Sergeant, Ky.

Also aboard the Mississippi is Virgil Bowling, Sic, USNR of Letcher, Ky. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jepp Bowling also of Letcher.

Marcus Island, Sept. 2 — (Delayed) — Earl James Gibson, 19, seaman, first class, USNR, Neon, Ky., served aboard the USS LSM 342, a medium landing ship which brought occupation forces and equipment to take over and rebuild this island — once-powerful Jap bastion which surrendered only yesterday.

Helping Americans and their supplies ashore was a small fleet of Jap landing barges, manned by Jap sailors. Japanese trucks with Jap drivers helped unload the landing ships as Americans sat beside the drivers, pointing directions.

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Washington, D. C. — News coming from the White House said today an executive order will be issued today or tomorrow returning to private owners the seven Montgomery Ward properties seized by the government last December after a labor dispute.

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For Sale

One Trailer Studio at Neon, Ky. This Trailer is a steel body 23 feet long, has good tires and everything good as new. It is equipped with bed, cook stove and heater. It's an ideal outfit to live in for a young man and his wife. It has a 3 x 4 camera fitted. In a real good batch, and can finish and deliver your picture in 5 minutes. It's a real nice outfit and a real gold brick for the man who might be interested. This outfit is worth \$2500 but I will sell for \$1600 cash. If interested see me or write to me at Martin, Ky., or Neon, Ky. I can train any one to handle this camera and complete the pictures in 10 days—and this I will do for the one who purchases this outfit.

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Wanted—Some experienced Mechanics or Apprentices and prefer Service Men. If interested write—
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Executor's Notice

All persons, firms or corporations having claims against the estate of John Hampton, deceased, are required to prove same, as required by law, and file same with the undersigned executor at Jeremiah, Letcher County, Kentucky.

All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate of John Hampton, deceased, will please call and pay same to the undersigned at the place above mentioned.

This 14th day of September 1945.

—MARK PRIDEMORE,
Executor of the Estate of John Hampton, deceased.

NOTICE

The public is hereby notified that a Stock Law Election will be held in voting precinct No. 27, known as Hallie, at the general election, November 6, 1945 with the following question on the ballots:

"Are you in favor of making it unlawful for cattle, horses, mules, hogs, sheep, or any species thereof to run at large on the public highways or uninclosed lands?"

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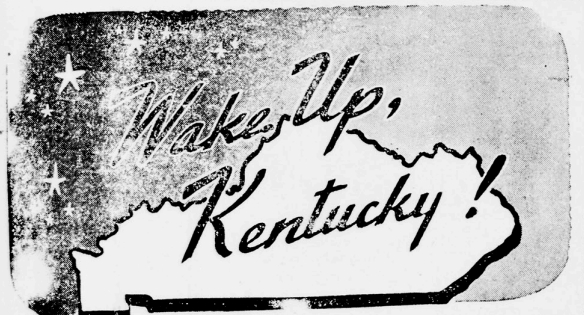
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WHITESBURG LOCALS

—by Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.—
Woman's Club District Convention
On Saturday, October 6 the Seventh District Convention of the Woman's Club will be held at Jenkins.
Mrs. W. R. Setzer and children, Ann and Tommy, left on Sunday for Memphis where they will live.
Mr. and Mrs. Rolan P. Price will leave on Tuesday for Detroit where they will attend the World's Series Baseball games.
Guests of relatives here through the week end were Mrs. O. W. Danner, Knoxville, Tenn., her sons Louis Danner, U. S. Army, and Bobby Danner, U. S. Navy, and Miss Mary Bruce Danner, Nurse Cadet.

Woman's Club Activities Begin with Fanfare
Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Elcaney Potter, (who by the way makes a most ideal hostess, for she invited the club to meet with her again and on any occasion when in need of a meeting place) the year's work for 1945-46 began. Presiding, Mrs. R. P. Price presented a lovely gift to Miss Carlene Kilgore, the retiring president of the past two years. Mrs. Preston E. Sloan led a most interesting program on Gardens. The introductory talk, "Fall Planting for Spring Bloom" was made by Mrs. Lewis Ammerman. Miss Glenna Little, accompanied by Mrs. Albert Jones, "In My Garden". The answer to roll call was State Flowers. A report of a Health Convention held in Lexington recently, was given by Mrs. Lee Moore, delegate. Mrs. Harry Wheeler gave a beautiful interpretation of two poems, "Old Hollyhocks," and "Lady Hollyhock." Salad course, pumpkin tarts, topped with whipping cream were served with coffee, by hostesses Mrs. Lee Moore, Mrs. L. W. Fields, Mrs. Paul Vermillion, Mrs. W. R. Setzer, Miss Virginia Vermillion and Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.
Mr. John M. Yost of Pikeville National Bank sent over for presentation to each clubwoman a packet of Hollyhock Seed and a copy of the poems read by Mrs. Wheeler.

Mrs. W. R. Setzer entertained on Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Ann Setzer, on her eighth birthday.

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Harlan Combs has returned to his home on Smoot Creek Road after a three week's visit with relatives in Lexington.
Miss Bonnie Combs is recovering from a tonsillectomy performed at Fleming Hospital on Thursday.
Mrs. Tom John spent several days in Lexington recently.
Mrs. August Codispoti is visiting Mr. Codispoti and daughter, Norma, at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Raymond Hill went on Friday to Lexington where he will attend University of Kentucky.
Mr. and Mrs. Salene Thomas and daughter, Mary Darnell, have returned from a week's visit in Lexington.
Farewell Party For School Girls
A farewell party was given on Saturday night for Ardell Hogg and Barbara Jo Smith who went on Sunday to Midway where they will continue their studies.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. James Marlowe are welcoming a son, John Carlton Marlowe, born at Bluefield on September 23. They expect to move to Whitesburg very soon where Mr. Marlowe will be employed at Elkhorn Jellico Coal Co.
Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Pigman have as their guest, his brother, Mr. Dave Martin of Miami, Fla.
Mr. and Mrs. French Hawk had as their week end guests his sister, Mrs. J. W. Deakins and daughter, Miss Martha Kate, and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Deakins of Kingsport.

Fishermen visiting Norris Lake during the past week were Oscar Lewis, W. H. Hunt and Dave Blair.
Mr. and Mrs. Noah Howard, who have been living for the past year at Hotspot moved this week to Wayland. Mr. Howard will continue his connection with Premium Coal Company. Miss Alcie Ann Howard and Danny Howard are attending Wayland School.

(Last week's news)
Mrs. Bob Whitehair and son, of Kenova, W. Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Evans. Mrs. Whitehair and son are returning via Whitesburg from a visit with her father, Mr. J. G. Gault at Owensville.
Birth Announcement
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Watson Webb on September 24th at Jenkins Hospital, a son.

Party at the Jenkins
Mr. and Mrs. Arch Jenkins and Miss Maryglenn Jenkins entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of Sgt. John Adams. Others included were Miss Minerva Adams, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Ted Yonts and daughter, Peggy Joan, and Mrs. Mary T. Powell of Knoxville.
Baptist Missionary Society
Mrs. Herman Combs and Mrs. B. W. Hale entertained the Baptist Missionary Society on Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Combs. Devotional was led by Mrs. Edgar Callaway, program led by Mrs. W. H. Lewis. Ice cream, cake and homemade candies were served.

Surprise Birthday Party
At a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Lee Moore at her home on Friday evening, the hostesses were Mrs. Elcaney Potter and Mrs. Bill Blair. Lovely gifts were given to her. Frozen fruit salad, birthday

cake and coffee were served. Included were Mrs. J. E. Crawford, Mrs. Paul Vermillion, Mrs. Gordon Lewis, Mrs. John Adkins, Mrs. W. R. Setzer, Mrs. Hazel B. Childers, Mrs. Cossie Quillen, Mrs. W. G. Holbrook, Mrs. Archie Craft and Mrs. Fred Buchanan of Huntington.
Methodist Circle Entertained
On Tuesday evening Mrs. L. W. Fields entertained the Methodist Society Circle No. 1. The program was led by Mrs. Owen Pigman. The subject, "Medical Missions." Included were Mrs. W. E. Cook, Mrs. L. B. Goodwin, Mrs. K. E. Hill, Mrs. J. L. Hays, Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr., and Mrs. Don Brown.

P. T. A. Business Session
At a special business session of the Parent-Teachers Association on Tuesday afternoon, the president, Mrs. Lester Hammock presided. The program for the entire year was planned. Tuesday, October 2, to October 9, will be given over to the Membership Drive. Next business session of P.T.A. will be Tuesday afternoon, 3:30, October 9th. All patrons of the school are urged to attend.

MAYKING SOLDIER PROMOTED IN ITALY
With the Fifth Army, Italy—Leslie Craft' of Mayking, Kentucky, has been promoted from sergeant to staff sergeant in Italy. He is a member of Company A, 135th Regiment 34th "Red Bull" Infantry Division. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Craft, live at Mayking.

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McRoberts Lodge No. 106
I. O. O. F., McRoberts, Ky., will in the future assemble the first Saturday and third Tuesday nights in each month for the transaction of business. The hours for meeting shall be 7:30 o'clock P. M.

BOX SUPPER
A Box Supper will be held at the Cedar Grove School at Hallie, Ky., Saturday, October 13th, 1945, at 7:00 P. M. sponsored by the 4-H Club. Everyone is invited to attend and bring a Box.

Stuart Robinson School Highlights

Mr. Dewey Polly, of the Whitesburg Rotary Club, and in the Coca-Cola business at Whitesburg, gave a most interesting talk to the student-body and faculty of Stuart Robinson, Wednesday, September 26. Mr. Polly's speech was entitled, "Good Business Principles." The main principles stressed were: 1. A business man has to have a stepping stone. 2. He has to have a starting point. 3. He chooses a business he likes. 4. He is able to overcome difficulties. 5. He saves 50 per cent or more of his income. 6. He thinks for himself. 7. He has a sound business policy. 8. He must be honest. 9. Interested in public welfare. 10. He works hard.

We were very glad to have Mr. Polly with us, and are looking forward to having more good speakers from the Rotary Club with us this year. Mr. W. M. Coker, due to the putting in of silage, has been helping with the extra work at Stuart Robinson the past week.

Mr. W. W. Clark, from the Tyler Auditing Company, Winchester, Ky., is auditing our books again this year. Our graded school teachers, Miss Julia Dixon, Misses Frances and Bulah Mullins, Miss Course Croucher and Miss Laura Greer attended a demonstration program sponsored by the helping teachers. Mr. Myrel Brown and Mrs. S. Sexton, at Blackey, Sept. 28th.

Everyone present enjoyed the Fellowship Meeting sponsored by the ladies of the Doern Memorial Church at Blackey, Friday, September 28. Due to the absence of Mrs. Bascom McIntyre, president, and Mrs. James Rogers, vice-president, Mrs. James May served as chairman of the program committee. The topic under discussion was United Religious Education Advance. Those who took part on the program were: Miss Anne Graham—devotional part, Mrs. W. L. Cooper, Mrs. H. H. Acker, Miss Anita Asher, Miss Christine Ghiselin and Miss Laura Greer.

Mr. H. N. Ethridge from Highland, conducted the church service at the Doern Memorial Church at Blackey, Sept. 30. The faculty members who attended the Community Concert at Hazard, Oct. 1, from Stuart Robinson were Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Cooper, Miss Florence Gray, Miss Margaret McNeill, Mrs. H. H. Acker, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hobson, Misses Frances and Bulah Mullins, Miss Anne Graham and Miss

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WHITESBURG, KY.

Juanita Turner.
The Newspaper Club published their first issue of the campus paper, Oct. 1.

The battleship USS Mississippi, 28-year-old veteran of the Fleet (shown in this striking aerial view), was presented at the historic ceremonies held in Tokyo Bay during the formal signing of the Japanese surrender. In 1853, the first MISSISSIPPI, commanded by Commodore Matthew C. Perry, entered Tokyo Bay to open Japan to world commerce. Ceremonies were held on the day of the entry into Sagami Wan to mark this second MISSISSIPPI sailing in those waters.

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Brief History of
Whitesburg
Post Office

Mr. W. G. Holbrook, local postmaster gave an interesting report on the Whitesburg Post Office before the Rotary Club at last Friday's luncheon. A part of Postmaster Holbrook's report reads as follows:

"The post office was established February 10, 1843, under the name of Whitesburg. William Carole was appointed postmaster February 10, 1843; William B. Stamper, June 22, 1844; Stephen Caudill, August 15, 1846; Douglas Vermillion, May 15, 1848; John M. Burns, November 14, 1848; Douglas Vermillion, September 25, 1850; Daniel W. May, September 25, 1855; James H. Vermillion, November 13, 1855; Robert D. Gibson, June 22, 1858; Elbert F. Fugate, February 3, 1859; Douglas L. Vermillion, November 15, 1859; Archibald D. Hale, March 20, 1860; S. C. Taylor, August 7, 1862; Ezekiel Brashears, May 30, 1865; (office discontinued November 8, 1865; re-established June 12, 1866); Stephen G. Reid, June 12, 1866; Leroy W. Fields, November 20, 1866; John W. Hillman, May 17, 1867; J. Richard Mann, December 17, 1867; Shadrack Polk, September 2, 1872; D. L. Vermillion, March 6, 1876; Samuel T. Nickels, May 8, 1876; John A. Craft, December 27, 1876; Samuel T. Nickels, August 19, 1878; Rebecca Fherigo, March 16, 1882; William S. Vermillion, October 30, 1884; T. B. Thompson, December 8, 1885; Henry J. Prichard, February 12, 1886; Robert O. Brashears, March 16, 1886; (office name changed to Whitesburg); Robert B. Bentley, March 15, 1887; William R. Adams, April 22, 1890; Joseph N. McCrary, April 15, 1893; Sarah Bentley, December 21, 1895; William S. Vermillion, November 27, 1897; Stephen T. Frazier, September 5, 1899; Samuel Collins, May 25, 1903; Felix G. Fields, July 14, 1905; Nehemiah M. Webb, May 19, 1914; Charles F. Adams, acting October 15, 1922, regular March 3, 1923; Simeon J. Hale, acting December 29, 1923; Felix G. Fields, acting October 1, 1924, regular January 27, 1925; Rachel F. Adams, acting October 15, 1928, regular February 28, 1929; Watson G. Holbrook, acting May 19, 1933, regular May 1, 1934."

Mr. Holbrook also showed Rotary members a picture of Whitesburg which was taken about 50 years ago. At that time there was no permanent building for the post office and the site where the school

buildings now stand was at that time just a vacant field.

We are pleased to say that the new federal building is now an adornment to the town and adds much to the progress of the community. Here many citizens gather at mail time, greet each other and converse in matters pertaining to everyday life in the community. In fact it is the best social gathering place the town affords.

Mrs. J. S. Nicholson was returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Marlowe at Bluefield, W. Va.

Whitesburg Garden
Club Meets

The September meeting of the Garden Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ammerman on Tuesday evening.

Election of officers was held and the following were chosen: President, Mrs. Preston E. Sloan; Vice Pres., Mrs. C. L. Kilgore; Secretary, Mrs. Walter Enlow; Cor. Sec'y., Mrs. Lewis Ammerman; Treasurer, Mrs. Edna Jahr.

Mrs. Zennith Bentley led a Garden Quiz; Mrs. Pearl Nolan gave a talk on "September Garden Hints." And Mrs. Kilgore discussed, "Planting Now for Summer Bloom." Delicious refreshments were served. Others included were Mr. Walter Enlow, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reed, Mrs. Henry Combs and Mrs. Herman Combs, Mrs. Preston E. Sloan.

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—Ration Board No. 32-69.1
By J. D. Maggard,
Chief Clerk.

OBITUARY

Frank Edward Potter, the son of Frank and Francis Potter, born Jan. 30, 1921, passed from this life Sept. 22, 1945, at the age of 24 years. In Dec. 1940 when our Government was calling for volunteers for military service, young Edward Potter boldly and willingly sacrificed his companionship with his parents, brothers, sisters and neighbors here, and went to serve his country.

He served in the Army five years, with 3 years of that time overseas. He fought through Africa, Sicily and Italy, was wounded three times and was one time captured in Sicily and held 62 days by the enemy before being recaptured by his own Army. He was honorably discharged from military service May 30, 1945.

He has two brothers still in service, Charlie and Earl. In his passing he leaves, father, mother, 7 brothers and sisters and eight half brothers and sisters and a large number of relatives and too a multitude of friends as has been shown by the hundreds that came to view his war worn body. On Tuesday, Sept. 25th his funeral was preached at the First Church of God at Neon by Elder Neve Meade, T. B. Collier and W. S. Tolliver amidst a very large congregation and on Wednesday at 10 o'clock he was given a military burial in the Potter-Cemetery just above Neon. Our hearts are so deeply wounded that time can never heal, but neighbors and our hundreds of friends that came to offer their sympathies and the preachers said so many nice things. There were so many flowers, and the undertakers did so much to make our burden lighter, that surely we can bear it better. Sorrow has come in our home before by reason of death, but none has been so hurtful. When we think of his long absence from home (5 yrs.) Being three times wounded. Being captured by the enemy and the untold suffering he endured—then so soon after he came home to live with us his life was taken from him. May we say here that we trust and pray none other soldier that fought, suffered and done so much for his country will so soon after coming home be sent into eternity by one that our boys fought and many died for. In closing may we thank and thank again every one who came or helped us in any way.

May the blessings of God rest with each of you.

Sincerely,
—Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Potter and
Entire Family.

Claretta Bryant

Claretta Bryant, of Burdine, Ky., died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryant on Sunday, Sept. 30, 1945. She had been in poor health for the past two years, but her death came as a sudden shock to her family. She was fourteen years of age at her death, and is survived by her parents and the following brothers and sisters: Ollie Mae, Anna Lois, Audrey Jean, Bobby Ray, Ernest Edward, James and Glen. Claretta was a pretty, sweet little girl, and because of her disposition and affliction the favorite and pet of her home. She was always kind and cheerful. Funeral services were held at the Residence at Burdine on Monday, Oct. 1, 1945 at 2:30 P. M., with Rev. Haley, officiating. Burial in the Shelby Gap Cemetery, Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Mayking

Homemakers Meet

The Mayking Homemakers Club met with Mrs. Elbert Fugate on September 28th. The subject for the evening was "Braided Rugs" and the discussion was led by Mrs. Charles Hogg. Mrs. Bill Childers served as president since the president was absent. Thought leader for the evening was Mrs. Arlie Blair. Mrs. Totsy Childers discussed "Landscape Gardening." During the evening it was voted to make a contribution to the McVey Memorial Fund. Those present were: Mrs. R. D. Childers, Mrs. Bradley

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Sergeant News

Vernon Martin is spending an 18-day furlough with his father, Mr. Ernest Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Webb and Ruth Joy and Barbara June Potter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Franklin spent Sunday in Stuart Robinson with their daughter, Miss Linda Lou Franklin who attends school there.

Mrs. Elene Craft and daughter, Mrs. Berlin Smith were visiting in Norton, Va., today.

Mrs. Boyd Maggard left for Newport News, Va., where she will find work soon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Caudill and son were the Sunday guests of Pfc. and Mrs. Roy L. Shores.

Mr. Bennie Bentley is ill at this writing.

Pfc. Hollie Craft was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hatler Cook and his son, Roy Craft of Sergeant.

Miss Barbara June Potter and Miss Ruth Joy Webb spent Sunday evening with Miss Effie Fields of Thornton.

Master Gordon Lewis, Jr., is staying with his grandmother and grandfather, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Salling.

Pfc. Major Webb has returned back to camp after his furlough home.

Mrs. Major Webb is back on her job in Cumberland, Ky.

Mrs. Clinton Shores is on the sick list this week.

RUPTURE

SHIELD EXPERT HERE
H. M. SHEVNAV, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the Cumberland Hotel, Middletown, Friday only, Oct. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Mr. Shevnav says: The Zoetie shield is a tremendous improvement over all former methods, effecting immediate results. It will not only hold the rupture perfectly no matter the size or location but it will increase the circulation, strengthen the weakened parts, and thereby close the opening in ten days on the average, regardless of heavy lifting, straining or any position the body may assume. A nationally known scientific method. No under straps or cumbersome arrangements and absolute, some arrangements or medical treatments.

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—J. MONROE FRAZIER



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Democratic Nominee for
COUNTY ATTORNEY

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(Pol. Adv.)

Democrat News

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Diamond this past week have been Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Diamond and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Taylor from Knoxville, Tenn., and Mrs. Dewey Baker and family from Beaver Dam. This pleased Mrs. Henry Diamond very much. She has been an invalid for the past year.

Mrs. Nola Richardson and daughter, Faye, visited Mrs. Lizzie Richardson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sergeant were the guests of Ollie Toliver and Rilda Proffitt on Saturday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Collins of Whitesburg were visitors of friends and relatives of this place. Miss Edith Holbrook accompanied them back for a short visit.

Miss Alka Sergeant, Lavina and Delmar and Ethel Sergeant were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cook on Sunday.

Can Martin, recently discharged from the Army and now working on Millstone was home for the week-end.

Miss Sarah Belle Sergeant and girl friend Bonnie Jean Childers, both of Stuart Robinson School were week-end

visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sergeant.

Lovie Martin from Carr Creek School visited his home this week-end.

Mr. Henry Sergeant is expecting his son Lester home from the Army soon. Mr. Sergeant has two more sons in the service, Lenville and Carl.

Sept. 20, 1945.

U. S. S. Indiana

Dear Mrs. Nolan:

I want to inform you that the Mt. Eagle has somewhat been a lifesaver for me during these years I have been in the Navy. Now I want to inform you that I am getting my discharge and will continue reading the Eagle, but at my home address.

I want to thank you and your staff for your splendid cooperation and the job so WELL DONE in sending us fighting home town boys the news.

Thanks again,

—William R. Polly.

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